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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff - Appellee,

V.

TROY DALE ARTHUR,

Defendant - Appellant.

No. 04-30286

D.C. No. CR-03-00074-EJL

MEMORANDUM*

Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Idaho Edward J. Lodge, District Judge, Presiding

Submitted December 5, 2005**

Before: GOODWIN, W. FLETCHER and FISHER, Circuit Judges.

Troy Dale Arthur appeals the 33-month sentence imposed following his guilty plea conviction for sexual abuse of a minor, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 2243(a). We have jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1291.

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This panel unanimously finds this case suitable for decision without oral argument. *See* Fed. R. App. P. 34(a)(2).

As an initial matter, we reject the government's contention that this appeal should be dismissed because Arthur waived his right to appeal. We may address Arthur's sentence contention because the language of the appeal waiver included in his oral plea agreement does not encompass the right to appeal errors at sentencing. *Cf. United States v. Nunez*, 223 F.3d 956, 958 (9th Cir. 2000) (explaining that courts will enforce a defendant's waiver of his right to appeal if, among other things, the language of the waiver encompasses the defendant's right to appeal on the grounds claimed on appeal).

We remand the sentence for further proceedings consistent with *United States v. Ameline*, 409 F.3d 1073, 1084-85 (9th Cir. 2005) (en banc).

REMANDED.